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FORC - PINK DOLPHIN

6 messages

Pamela

Tue, Jun 14, 2016 at 7:25 PM

To: "sarah.dusseault@lacity.org" <sarah.dusseault@lacity.org>

Dear Sarah,

I'm not sure whether you have these but, if you do, I'd be grateful if you would provide me with copies of the PINK DOLPHIN-City of Los Angeles Gift Agreement, as well as the insurance policy documents filed with the City by FORC, or its contractor.

Thanks in advance!

Sincerely,

Pamela

Sarah Dusseault <sarah.dusseault@lacity.org>

Wed, Jun 15, 2016 at 7:05 AM

To: Pamela

I don't. I can try to find them from RAP but those types of docs stay with the department or city atty and don't come to us.

Sarah Dusseault
Chief of Staff
Councilmember David E. Ryu
213 473 7004
Sent from my iPhone
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Pamela Colburn

Wed, Jun 15, 2016 at 5:12 PM

To: Sarah Dusseault <sarah.dusseault@lacity.org>

Hi Sarah,

Thanks for replying.

RAP denies having an agreement with the donor or contractor. RAP claims its only agreement is with FORC.

I tried to obtain records from FORC via a CPRA request.

The difficulty is that FORC claims that "FORC is a non-profit ...we are not an agency of government. Accordingly, the California Public Records Act does not apply to us. You may want to direct your inquiry to the Department of Recreation and Parks."

Catch 22 was a very good book.

Any guidance you can offer would be most welcome.

Best,

Pam

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Anastasia Mann <anastasia@comiche.com>

Wed, Jun 15, 2016 at 5:24 PM

To: Sarah Dusseault <sarah.dusseault@lacity.org>, Nicholas Greif <nicholas.greif@lacity.org>, Adeena Bleich <adeena.bleich@lacity.org>
Cc: David Ryu <david.ryu@lacity.org>

See Below please.

This is the kind of run around we've been getting from Don & co now for ages. This is only a fraction of their behavior that has cost them the "public" trust that David strives for. They are the antithesis of "transparent". The "ethics violation" is a HUGE issue and now they suggest that the burden was on me to know who was on their board! Absolutely not. The board member was in violation - on my board & FORC's without disclosure taking tax payers money. If that were Tom LaBonge everyone would be shaking their heads. These folks are masters at cover up and distortions of the truth and evasion.

They are not trusted and will end up taking down the entire concept which we built together.

After David's comments yesterday I really thought seriously about trying harder with them but then this whole thing comes up. They do not represent transparency. Period.

I'm speaking in my own behalf, out of sheer frustration and disappointment. Not on behalf of HHWNC, obviously. This will end up before us however, as the community is outraged by them.

Thank for listening to my outburst. This is never ending frustration.

Anastasia

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FYI

From: <sarah.dusseault@lacity.org>
Date: June 15, 2016 at 5:12:00 PM PDT
To: Sarah Dusseault <sarah.dusseault@lacity.org>
Subject: Re: FORC - PINK DOLPHIN

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Pamela Colburn

Wed, Jul 6, 2016 at 1:35 PM

To: "sarah.dusseault@lacity.org" <sarah.dusseault@lacity.org>, "david.ryu@lacity.org" <david.ryu@lacity.org>

Dear Sarah,

As you know, I have been unsuccessful in obtaining responses to my public records requests from RAP.

I'd be grateful if you would try to help me obtain the financial records relating to the Runyon Canyon Basketball Court, showing money received from the donor and spent; and, that you would also try to determine whether permits were properly obtained, and if not, whether the city (indemnified by the donor and FORC per the Right of Entry Permit) has a DUTY to file an insurance claim to pay for the Runyon repairs.

In my view, an audit of this project should be requested by CD4, before tax payer money is allocated to pay the donor a penny, or to force the community pay for the unnecessary repairs.

Please let me know one way or another whether you will have the time to assist.

Thank you so much.

Best regards,

Pam

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Sent from my iPhone

Sarah Dusseault <sarah.dusseault@lacity.org>

Thu, Jul 7, 2016 at 3:30 PM

To: Pamela Colburn

Cc: "david.ryu@lacity.org" <david.ryu@lacity.org>

Pamela,

RAP is asking the donor for this information, they do not have these items and so I cannot pass them along. The process for this meant that the donor was paying the contractor directly and not through the city. It is certainly lessons learned and we will work with the Mayor's Office to look at best practices, but we don't have the records for this. There has currently not been any taxpayer funds spent on this project although it is possible that RAP has to use funds to pay for parts of this. We will keep you apprised as we learn more. We are also interested in finding private funds to pay for this so that no tax payer funds are expended at all.

Thanks,

Sarah

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